

WESTON MAJOR PROGRAMS DIVISION  
HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN  
EMERGENCY RESPONSE / SITE INVESTIGATION

Area code 973

320419



TDD No. PCS 1916 Site Name: Central Steel & Drum Site  
Site Address: Street No. 704 Doremus Avenue  
City Newark  
County/State Essex County, N.J.  
Site Contact / Phone No.: -

Directions to Site: (Att. Map) ① Take turnpike north to 15 E exit which empties on Doremus Ave.  
② Take Doremus Avenue to Delancy Street (1/4 mile)  
③ Site is on Right side immediately preceding intersection

Historical/Current Site Information:

A long history of citations by DEPE for releases at this drum recycling business, high levels of VOC Alkynes + chlorinated compounds, chloroform and heavy metals for Lead, Mercury, chromium (with lead being high enough to fail EP Tox Testing). \* Little current information available

Incident Type: ( ) Air Release - \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Spill - \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Fire - \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) HW Site - ✓ highly contaminated site No fencing to general public

Location Class : (X) Industrial ( ) Commercial ( ) Urban/Residential ( ) Rural

USEPA Contact: M. Chong Date of Initial Site Activities: 5/14/97  
Original HASP: Yes ✓ Modification Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lead TAT: Ed Mayle Site Health & Safety Coordinator: M. CHONG  
Avenue: Ed Mayle

Response Activities/Duration (fill in as applicable)

Emergency Response: ( ) Perimeter Recon. \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Site Entry \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Visual Documentation: \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Multi-media Sampling: \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Decontamination: \_\_\_\_\_

Assessment: (X) Perimeter Recon. \_\_\_\_\_  
(X) Site Entry \_\_\_\_\_  
(X) Visual Documentation: \_\_\_\_\_  
( ) Multi-media Sampling: \_\_\_\_\_  
(X) Decontamination: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comment: Current State unclear with reported DEPE listings of 1000 fires, 200 (full or empty drums) containers, oily spills and oil slick on nearby water. In view of the serious nature of the DEPE citations the full level B with expect downgrade to modified level D (with Tyvek due to heavy metals) will be used.

## Physical Safety Hazards to Personnel

- ☐ Heat ☐ Cold ☐ Precipitation ☐ Confined Space ☒ Terrain
- ☒ Walking/Working Surfaces ☐ Fire & Explosion ☐ Oxygen Deficiency
- ☐ Underground Utilities ☐ Overhead Utilities ☐ Heavy Equipment
- ☒ Unknowns in Drums, Tanks, Containers ☒ Ponds, Lagoons, Impoundments
- ☐ Rivers, Streams ☐ Pressurized Containers, Systems ☐ Noise
- ☐ Illumination ☐ Nonionizing Radiation ☐ Ionizing Radiation

## Biological Hazards to Personnel

- ☐ Infectious/Medical/Hospital Waste ☐ Non-domesticated Animals ☐ Insects
- ☒ Poisonous Plants/Vegetation ☐ Raw Sewage

## Training Requirements

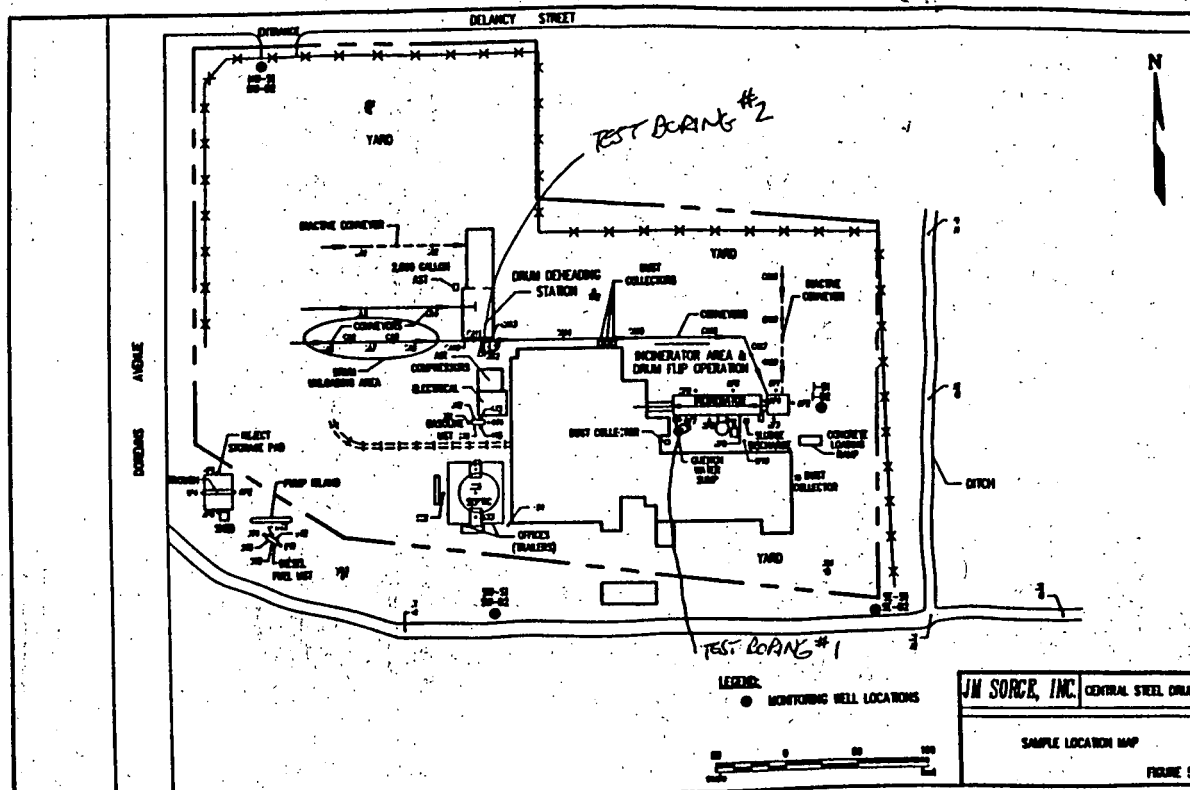
- ☒ 40 Hour General Site Worker Course with three days supervised experience.
- ☐ 24 Hour Course for limited, specific tasks with one day supervised experience.
- ☐ 24 Hour Course for Level D Site with one day supervised experience.
- ☒ 8 Hour Annual Refresher Health and Safety Training.
- ☐ 8 Hour Management/Supervisor Training in addition to basic training course.
- ☐ Site Specific Health and Safety Training.
- ☐ Pre-entry training for emergency response skilled support personnel.

## Medical Surveillance Requirements

- ☒ Baseline initial physical examination with physician certification.
- ☒ Annual medical examination with physician certification.
- ☐ Site Specific medical monitoring protocol (Radiation, Pesticide, PCB, Metals).
- ☐ Asbestos Worker medical protocol.
- ☐ Exempt from medical surveillance: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Examination required in event of chemical exposure or trauma.

Physical Parameters	Chemical Contaminant	Chemical Contaminant	Chemical Contaminant	Chemical Contaminant
Exposure Limits IDLH Level	<p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> PEL</p> <p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> TLV</p> <p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> IDLH</p>	<p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> PEL</p> <p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> TLV</p> <p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> IDLH</p>	<p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> PEL</p> <p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> TLV</p> <p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> IDLH</p>	<p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> PEL</p> <p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> TLV</p> <p>_____ ppm _____ mg/m<sup>3</sup> IDLH</p>
Physical Form Sol., Liq., Gas Color	<p>_____ Solid _____ Liquid</p> <p>_____ Gas _____ Color</p>	<p>_____ Solid _____ Liquid</p> <p>_____ Gas _____ Color</p>	<p>_____ Solid _____ Liquid</p> <p>_____ Gas _____ Color</p>	<p>_____ Solid _____ Liquid</p> <p>_____ Gas _____ Color</p>
Odor				
Flash Point Flammable Limits	<p>_____ Degrees F or C</p> <p>_____ % UEL _____ % LEL</p>	<p>_____ Degrees F or C</p> <p>_____ % UEL _____ % LEL</p>	<p>_____ Degrees F or C</p> <p>_____ % UEL _____ % LEL</p>	<p>_____ Degrees F or C</p> <p>_____ % UEL _____ % LEL</p>
Vapor Press. Vapor Dens.	<p>_____ mm/Hg</p> <p>_____ Air = 1</p>	<p>_____ mm/Hg</p> <p>_____ Air = 1</p>	<p>_____ mm/Hg</p> <p>_____ Air = 1</p>	<p>_____ mm/Hg</p> <p>_____ Air = 1</p>
Specific Gravity	_____ Water = 1	_____ Water = 1	_____ Water = 1	_____ Water = 1
Solubility				
Incompatible Materials				
Route of Exposure	<p>_____ Inh _____ Abs</p> <p>_____ Con _____ Ing</p>	<p>_____ Inh _____ Abs</p> <p>_____ Con _____ Ing</p>	<p>_____ Inh _____ Abs</p> <p>_____ Con _____ Ing</p>	<p>_____ Inh _____ Abs</p> <p>_____ Con _____ Ing</p>
Symptoms of Acute Exposure				
First Aid Treatment				
Ion Potential	_____ eV	_____ eV	_____ eV	_____ eV
Instruments For Detection	<p>_____ PID w/ _____ Probe</p> <p>_____ FID _____ CGI _____ RAD</p> <p>_____ Det Tube _____ Ph</p> <p>Other _____</p>	<p>_____ PID w/ _____ Probe</p> <p>_____ FID _____ CGI _____ RAD</p> <p>_____ Det Tube _____ Ph</p> <p>Other _____</p>	<p>_____ PID w/ _____ Probe</p> <p>_____ FID _____ CGI _____ RAD</p> <p>_____ Det Tube _____ Ph</p> <p>Other _____</p>	<p>_____ PID w/ _____ Probe</p> <p>_____ FID _____ CGI _____ RAD</p> <p>_____ Det Tube _____ Ph</p> <p>Other _____</p>

FIELD MAP



# Decontamination Procedures

- ( ) Wet Decontamination - using: \_\_\_\_\_
- (✓) Dry Decontamination

*expected disposable garments for level B, C & D operations*

Description of Site Specific Decontamination Plan: \_\_\_\_\_

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Adequacy of decontamination determined by: H&S Supervisor or alternate

TASK TO BE PERFORMED/AIR MONITORING REQUIRED	ANTICIPATED LEVEL OF PROTECTION	TYPE OF CHEMICAL PROTECTIVE COVERALL	INNER GLOVE OUTER GLOVE BOOT COVER	TYPE OF APR CARTRIDGE OR CANISTER
Site Action for level of protection Required for site	B if unknown or over 10 ppm vapors or over	Saran Coated coveralls	outer and inner nitrile gloves for sample other site activities may require a more durable outer glove	Air bottles
General site activities for 5-10 ppm levels	C	Tyvek	same	GMCH
General site activities for 0-5 ppm levels	D	Tyvek (due to heavy metals at site)	same	none

Frequency and Types of Air Monitoring: ( ☒ ) Continuous ( ) Routine - \_\_\_\_\_ ( ☒ ) Periodic - \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECT READING INSTRUMENTS	COMBUSTIBLE GAS/OXYGEN METER (1)	RADIATION SURVEY METER/PROBE (2)	PHOTOIONIZATION DETECTOR/PROBE (3)	FLAME IONIZATION DETECTOR (4)	CHEM. DETECTOR TUBE (5)
ID NUMBER					
CAL. DATE					
TAT MEMBER					
ACTION LEVEL	≥ 20%LEL ≤ 19.5%. ≥ 23% O <sub>2</sub> - LEAVE	3X BACKGRND - CAUTION; 1 MR/HR-LEAVE	UNKNOWN 0-5 UNITS:"C" 5-500:"B"	UNKNOWN 0-5 UNITS:"C" 5-500:"B"	PEL TLV COMPARE W/PF

Emergency Contact	Location	Phone Number	Notified
Hospital	<i>Bergen &amp; South Orange</i>	<i>201-982-5542 or 911</i>	
Ambulance		<i>911</i>	
Police		<i>911</i>	<i>Police department is on DeLong at approx 5 blocks from site</i>
Fire Dept.		<i>911</i>	<i>Fire department is at wheelers Blvd (5 blocks from site)</i>

Chemical Trauma Capability? ☒ Yes ( ) No If no, closest backup: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Directions to Hospital (attach map) - Route verified by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Go up Raymond Ave to Bergen.*

### Additional Emergency Phone Contacts

Contact	Phone Number
WESTON 24 hr. Hotline	215-524-1925 215-524-1926
WESTON Medical Emergency Service	513-421-3063
Chemtrec	800-424-9300
ATSDR	404-639-0615
ATF (explosives information)	800-424-9555
National Response Center	800-424-8802
National Poison Control Center	800-942-5969

HASP prepared by: *Ed Moyle* Date: *5/12/97*

Pre-Response/Entry Approval by: *Sam Arshav* Date: *5/13/97*

Verbal Approval/Modification to Original HASP by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Size of Site: 8.5 Acres Terrain                      Weather                       
 Distance to Nearest: Residence                      School                      Hospital                       
                                     Public Building                      Other                     

Evacuation: ( ) Yes ( ) No By Whom:                     

Nearest Waterway: Ocean water - Newmarket Bay Distance from Site: 2 blocks

Condition	Observed	Potential	None	Comments/Observations
Surface Water Contamination				
Ground Water Contamination				
Drinking Water Contamination				
Air Release				
Soil Contamination				
Stressed Vegetation				
Dead Animal Species				

**Actions Taken On-Site:**

Perimeter Monitoring: ( ☒ ) Yes ( ) No  
 Site Entry by TAT: ( ☒ ) Yes ( ) No

Tasks Conducted	Level of Protection/Specific PPE Used
Site Recon Level B	
Udome Mercury Analyzer	
Hazcat (level C/D if permitted)	
XRF Analysis (level C/D if permitted)	

Data to be summarized by a "Range of readings, i.e., - Low to High" and/or "Average" by location.

Station/Location	CGI/O <sub>2</sub> Meter	Radiation Meter	PID/Probe	FID/OVA	Detector Tube

Summary/Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Off Site: ( ) Yes ( ) No  
 On Site: ( ) Yes ( ) No

Describe types of samples and methods used to obtain samples:

Was Laboratory notified of Potential Hazard Level Of Samples? ( ) Yes ( ) No

Note: The nature of the work assignment may require the use of the following procedures/programs which will be included as Attachments to this HASP as applicable: Emergency Response Plan. Confined Space Entry Procedures. Spill Containment Program.

Disclaimer: This Health and Safety Plan (HASP) was prepared for work to be conducted under the Technical Assistance Team (TAT) Contract 68-WO-0036 for Zone I. Use of this HASP by WESTON and its subcontractor is intended to fulfill the OSHA requirements found in 29 CFR 1910.120. Items not specifically covered in this HASP are included by reference to 29 CFR 1910 and 1926.

The signatures below indicate that the individuals have read and understood this Health and Safety Plan.

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Post Response Review by:			
Post Response Approval by:			
TAT HSO Review by:			
James Kearns	<i>James Kearns</i>	COMMENTS/FOLLOWUP Start	5/16/98
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Joseph E. Hayes	<i>Joseph E. Hayes</i>	NJDEP	5/14/97

Additional Materials  
300 sheet paper  
peroxide paper  
booster  
fluorescent paint  
flash light